

and 19 have been objected to based on formalities. Claims 12-18 and 20 depend from claims 11 and 19.

Claims 11 and 19 have been amended. No claims have been added. No claims have been canceled. Claims 1-20 remain pending.

With regard to claim 11, the phrase "the aperture associated with" has been inserted as per the examiner's suggestion. With regard to claim 19, the word "response" has been replaced with the word "responsive" as per the examiner's suggestion.

In view of the above remarks and amendments to the claims, it is respectfully submitted that the claims are now in condition for allowance. The Examiner's action to that end is respectfully requested.

If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at the telephone number given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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